

What's Happening @ UofL
Week of April 21-27

NEWS

Speed School, President Ramsey to dedicate sculpture Friday

Speed School of Engineering officials will join President James Ramsey at noon Friday to dedicate a polished black granite sculpture in front of the school's J.B. Speed Building on Eastern Parkway near Third Street. Alumnus Bernard Dahlem, who contributed the 6-by-8-foot artwork titled Integrity, will be honored with others involved in its design and installation. The piece is incised with the shape of engineering honor society Tau Beta Pi's symbol, called the bent, and the back includes an inscription about the importance of integrity. In case of rain, the ceremony will be in the building's Virginia Speed Auditorium.

Serving health care needs of the backside workers

It's almost time for the Kentucky Derby and horses aren't the only ones at Churchill Downs who may need medical checkups. The Kentucky Racing Health Services Center (KRHSC) is a not-for-profit center that offers free care to backside workers and their families. Learn more about the impact this program has on the community at <http://louisville.edu/nursing/programs-centers/kentucky-racing-health-services-center> Contact Julie Heflin at (502) 852-7987 or julie.heflin@louisville.edu for more information.

EXPERT SOURCE

Kentucky Derby

Why is placing a Derby bet such a popular pastime? What is the sociology of gambling?

- Ryan Schroeder, assistant professor of sociology, ryan.schroeder@louisville.edu

Will you be working hard during Derby week? How does the Kentucky Derby and related events affect workplace productivity?

- Frank Kuzmits, management professor, 502-852-4789 or frank.kuzmits@louisville.edu

What are the odds? If you bank on raking in winnings from a long shot, you likely will be disappointed.

- Patricia Cerrito, mathematics professor, pcerrito@louisville.edu
- Wei-Bin Zeng, mathematics professor, wbzeng@louisville.edu or 502-852-5837

EVENTS

April 23: "One Year Later: Jefferson County Public Schools," UofL NETWORK talk by Bernard Minnis, JCPS assistant superintendent, about the school system's new assignment plan and programs to enhance diversity, reduce academic disparities and improve cultural literacy, 11:30 a.m., University Club.

April 23: Information fair about elder abuse and neglect, with noon talk by Medicaid fraud and abuse investigator Nikki Henderson, sponsored by UofL's Kent School of Social Work, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Kling Center, 219 W. Ormsby Ave.

April 23: "Examining the Historical Status of Girls in China," showing of movie "The King of Masks" and discussion by UofL lecturer Caroline Ma and Tiffany Caesar of the Anne Braden Institute for Social Justice Research, 7 p.m., Crane House, Asia Institute Inc., 1244 S. Third St.

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